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PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

THIRD LEGISLATURE,

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CHAPTER CLXXVI.

AN ACT to incorporate Orient Lodge.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That John H. Ingraham, David S. Fales, Ebenezer Thatcher, John Gleason, and Halsey Healy, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are incorporated into a body politic, by the name of Orient Lodge; with power to sue and be sued; to have a common seal and change the same; to make any by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State; to take and hold for charitable and benevolent uses, any real estate, to the value of three thousand dollars, and any personal estate to the value of five thousand dollars; and to give and grant, or bargain and sell the same; and with all the privileges usually granted to other societies, instituted for purposes of charity and beneficence.

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SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the first meeting of said corporation shall be holden at such time and place, and be notified in such manner, as a majority of the persons named in this act may direct.

First meeting.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That the powers granted by this act may be enlarged, restrained or repealed, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

Restrictions.

[This Act passed January 27, 1823.]

CHAPTER CLXXVII.

AN ACT to incorporate Hancock Lodge.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Samuel L. Valentine, John Short, and George Vose, and their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are, incorporated into a body politic, by the name of Hancock Lodge; with power to sue and be sued; to make any by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of this State; to take and hold for charitable purposes, any real

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